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Attorney Docket No. **1-23271**
First Inventor **Jerry D. Schermerhorn et al.**
Title **Flat Plasma Display Panel With Independent Trigger etc.**
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. Specification [Total Pages **37**]
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets **14**]
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 - i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)
11. English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
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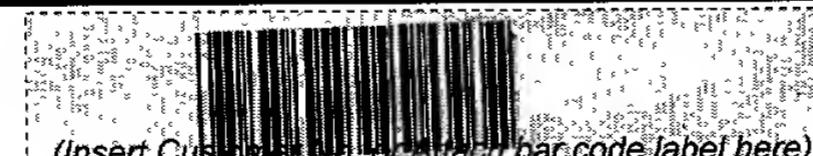
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Prior application information: Examiner _____ Group / Art Unit _____

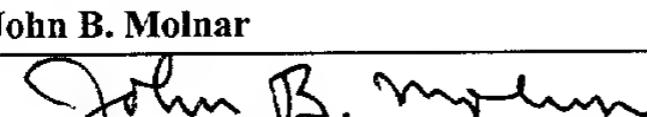
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See 37 CFR § 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201	355 Utility filing fee	710.00
106	320	206	160 Design filing fee	
107	490	207	245 Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355 Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75 Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)				\$710.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra Claims			Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	29	-20** =	9	X 18.00 = 162.00
Independent Claims	7	- 3** =	4	X 80.00 = 320.00
Multiple Dependent				=

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee Description
103	18	203	9 Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)			\$482.00

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139 Non - English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215 Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216 Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219 Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243 Design issue fee	
144	600	244 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123 Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(q)	
126	180	126 Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
581	40	581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246 355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249 355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279 355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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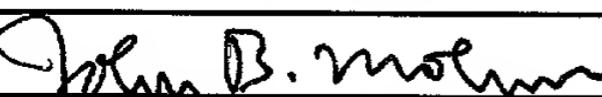
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Docket No.

1-23271

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
Invention: FLAT PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL WITH INDEPENDENT TRIGGER AND CONTROLLED SUSTAINING ELECTRODES			

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